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## VIA FACSIMILE

To: Examiner Gautam Patel  
Group Art Unit No. 2655  
U.S.P.T.O.  
From: Sean M. McGinn  
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Re: Enclosed Amendment Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.116 and Excess Claim  
Fee Payment Letter  
U.S. Patent Application Serial No. 10/067,539  
Our Reference: FUJI.016  
Facsimile No.: (703) 761-2375

Dear Examiner Patel:

Enclosed is an Amendment Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.116 and Excess Claim Fee Payment Letter, which we request that you enter and which should place the above-referenced case in condition for allowance.

Thank you in advance for your kind consideration on this case.

Very truly yours,

  
John J. Dresch, Esq.  
Sean M. McGinn, Esq.

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Enclosure

Total No. of Pages Transmitted: 17

Docket No. PU01-01165  
FUJI.016

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re patent application of

Naoharu YAMAGAWA, et al.

Serial No.: 10/067,539

Group Art Unit: 2655

Filing Date: February 7, 2002

Examiner: Gautam Patel

For: APPARATUS FOR ADJUSTING SIGNAL LEVELS DERIVED FROM AN OPTICAL DISC TO BECOME EQUAL TO A REFERENCE LEVEL DETERMINED FROM AT LEAST ONE OF THE SIGNAL LEVELS OF THE SIGNALS AND FOR SYNTHESIZING THE SIGNALS (As Amended)

Honorable Commissioner of Patents  
Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

## EXCESS CLAIM FEE PAYMENT LETTER

Sir:

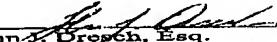
Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application. The fee has been calculated and is transmitted as shown below.

	AFTER AMENDMENT	REV. PAID FOX	EXTRA CLAIMS PRESENT	RATE	FEES DUE
Total Claims	25	29	0	x \$50.00	\$0.00
Indep. Claims	5	3	2	x \$200.00	\$400.00
<b>TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE FOR THIS PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT:</b>					
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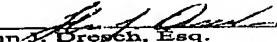
The Commissioner is authorized charge \$400.00 to cover the excess claim fee, as well as any deficiencies in fees, and credit any overpayment of fees to Attorney's Deposit Account No. 50-0481. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

Respectfully Submitted,

Date: April 27, 2005

  
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AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.116

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated March 28, 2005, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper. No new matter has been added.

Remarks begin on page 12 of this paper.

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